UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA RENO, NEVADA

	KENO,	NEVADA
JOE ZEITCHICK,)	3:06-CV-0138-ECR-VPC (Base File) 3:06-CV-0642-ECR-VPC (Member File)
Plaintiffs,)	MINUTES OF THE COURT
vs.)	DATE: June 11, 2010
CAROL LUCEY and HELAINE JESSE)))	
Defendants.	,))	
PRESENT: EDWARD C. REED,	JR	U. S. DISTRICT JUDGE
Deputy Clerk: <u>COLLEEN LARSEN</u>		Reporter: NONE APPEARING
Counsel for Plaintiff(s)		NONE APPEARING
Counsel for Defendant(s)		NONE APPEARING

MINUTE ORDER IN CHAMBERS

Defendants seek an order excluding any reference to David Rollings' 34-year old criminal conviction, the details of the conviction, imprisonment, rehabilitation and/or military discharge or to the pages of his deposition where testimony concerning these matters was elicited. Plaintiff agrees that Mr. Rollings' conviction is not admissible under Fed. R. Evid. 609(b), but seeks to introduce it under 608(b), which provides in relevant part as follows:

Specific instances of the conduct of a witness, for the purpose of attacking or supporting the witness' character for truthfulness, other than conviction of crime as provided in rule 609, may not be proved by extrinsic evidence. They may, however, in the discretion of the court, if probative of truthfulness or untruthfulness, be inquired into on cross-examination of the witness (1) concerning the witness' character for truthfulness or untruthfulness

FED. R. EVID. 608(b).

After conducting an analysis under Fed. R. Evid. 403, we conclude that the Plaintiff may, on cross-examination, inquire as to whether Mr. Rollings omitted important information when applying for employment. Nevertheless, Plaintiff may not refer to or inquire about the subject of the omission. Plaintiff also may not refer to the pages of Mr. Rollings' deposition where testimony concerning that matter was elicited.

IT IS, THEREFORE, HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants' motion in limine to exclude any reference to David Rollings' 34-year old criminal conviction (#157) is GRANTED on the following basis. Plaintiff may, on cross-examination, inquire as to whether Mr. Rollings omitted important information when applying for employment. Nevertheless, Plaintiff may not refer to or inquire about the subject of the omission. Plaintiff also may

not refer to the pages of Mr. Rollings' deposition where testimony

concerning that matter was elicited.

By /s/
Deputy Clerk